Uni-track Program Frequently Asked Questions for Teachers



Is a master's degree required to join the Uni-track program?

Requirements vary by subject. In general, a master's degree is preferred, but your application will still be considered if you do not have one.

May I request approval to offer Uni-track credit for a class in the current academic year?

New Uni-track applications are only accepted for subsequent academic years. The submission deadline for the next academic year will be in December of the current academic year. Please visit the Uni-track program website for specifics.

How do I know which Fresno State course to request when submitting a Uni-track teacher application?

Use the class list on the Uni-track website as a starting point. If you are applying to offer credit for an AP class, you may also review the University's External Exam Credit list. You may also contact the Program Coordinator for guidance or consult the Fresno State Catalog. If consulting the Catalog, please note that only lower division classes (class number between 1-99) will be considered for Uni-track classes.

I already offer Uni-track credit for a class. May I offer credit for a different class?

If you offer two sections of the same class (e.g. morning and afternoon AP U.S. History classes), you do not need to go through the approval process again to offer Uni-track credit. If you wish to offer credit for a different course, you will need to submit a full application packet during the next Uni-track teacher application cycle.

Will I need to renew by status as a Uni-track teacher after the initial application?

Prior to the beginning of each academic year, you will be asked to sign a Course Proposal Form and Volunteer Form. These forms authorize the Uni-track program to continue offering credit to your students and will be reviewed by the appropriate faculty and deans at Fresno State.

At any time, you may be asked to provide additional documents at the discretion of the faculty. For example, if the curriculum of the Fresno State class changes significantly, you may be asked to provide an updated syllabus for review.

My Uni-track class is being reassigned to another teacher. Do they need to apply to continue offering Fresno State credit?

Yes, a new application is required if an approved Uni-track course is assigned to a different teacher at your high school.

IMPORTANT: the program cannot accommodate late teacher applications. If a class is reassigned after the Uni-track teacher application cycle closes, there may be a gap in Uni-track availability until the new teacher can apply during a future application cycle.

I am a principal, learning director, or district official who is interested in offering Uni-track credit to my students. How do I get started?

Start by identifying teachers who are interested in offering Uni-track credit. The most common Uni-track offerings are AP classes--students who are planning to attend Fresno State sometimes enroll in Uni-track as a lower-cost alternative to the AP test--but ROP classes and other offerings are considered as well.

You may submit application materials on behalf of one or more teachers. The application process outlined on the Uni-track website is required for each teacher and class. We strongly encourage interested teachers to begin gathering the application materials prior to the next application cycle.